

Harwinton

Connecticut

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Belongs to
Litchfield County
Hartford Labor Market Area
Litchfield Hills Economic Dev. Region
Litchfield Hills Planning Area

Incorporated in 1737

Demographics

				<i>Race/Ethnicity (1998)</i>			
<i>Population (1998)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>		<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>
1980	4,889	156,768	3,107,580	White	5,290	174,776	2,648,212
1990	5,228	174,092	3,287,116	Black	7	1,786	274,213
1998	5,354	181,874	3,271,239	Asian Pacific	26	2,258	73,304
2003	5,407	185,084	3,272,149	Native American	2	321	5,952
'98-'03 Growth	0.99%	1.76%	0.03%	Other	2	140	5,336
				Hispanic (any race)	27	2,593	264,222
Land Area (sq. miles)	30.75	920.01	4,845	<i>Poverty Rate (1990)</i>	1.93%	3.97%	6.61%
Pop./ Sq. Mile (1998)	174.11	197.69	653	<i>Educational Attainment (1990)</i>			
Per Capita Inc. (1998)	\$29,995	\$24,032	\$27,078	Persons Age 25 or Older	<i>Town</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>State</i>
Households (1998)	1,847	69,599	1,229,087	High School Graduate	1,120	31.9%	648,366
Median Age (1997)	39.5	38.3	37.2	Some College	993	28.3%	495,696
				Bachelors or More	924	26.3%	597,693
<i>Age Distribution (1998)</i>							
	<i>0-4</i>	<i>5-17</i>	<i>18-24</i>	<i>25-49</i>	<i>50-64</i>	<i>65+</i>	<i>Total</i>
Male	171 7%	472 18%	231 9%	980 37%	472 18%	304 12%	2,630
Female	168 6%	481 18%	210 8%	1,011 37%	463 17%	391 14%	2,724
County Total	11,904 7%	31,016 17%	13,820 8%	70,482 39%	27,967 15%	26,685 15%	181,874
State Total	216,119 7%	550,400 17%	280,101 9%	1,257,928 38%	499,093 15%	467,598 14%	3,271,239

Economics

<i>Business Profile (1997)</i>					<i>Top Five Grand List (1997)</i>		
<i>Sector</i>	<i>Firms</i>	<i>% of Total</i>	<i>Emp.</i>	<i>% of Total</i>		<i>Amount</i>	<i>% of Total</i>
Agriculture	18	7.8%	47	5.6%	City of Bristol	\$5,573,750	1.50%
Const. and Mining	71	30.9%	214	25.7%	Connecticut Light & Power Company	\$2,894,010	0.78%
Manufacturing	9	3.9%	46	5.5%	O & G Industries, Inc.	\$1,900,250	0.51%
Trans. And Utilities	9	3.9%	34	4.1%	Supreme Forest Products	\$932,220	0.25%
Trade	30	13.0%	83	10.0%	Digaetano Louis S. Inc.	\$893,830	0.24%
Finance, Ins. and Real Estate	11	4.8%	27	3.2%	Grand List Total (1996)	\$370,555,170	
Services	79	34.3%	356	42.7%	<i>Top Five Major Employers (1997)</i>		
Government	3	1.3%	26	3.1%	Town of Harwinton	E & E Tool Co.	
Total	230	100.0%	833	100.0%	Regional School District #10	Supreme Forest Products	
					Era II		
						<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>
					<i>Retail Sales (1996)</i>	\$5,795,801	\$30,837,967,729

Education

<i>1995-1996 School Year</i>				<i>Connecticut Mastery Test Percent Above Goal</i>					
	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>		<i>Grade 4</i>		<i>Grade 6</i>		<i>Grade 8</i>	
Total Students	961	461,203							
Total Expenditures Per Pupil	\$8,348	\$8,300		<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>
Average Teacher's Salary	\$47,826	\$48,598		Reading	73 55	67 60	80 64		
Students Attending Public School	94.6%	89.2%		Math	81 59	76 52	66 51		
Student/Teacher Ratio	14.1	14.5		Writing	52 46	67 46	67 51		
Grads Pursuing Post-Sec. Education	85.9%	75.8%							
High School Dropout Rate	2.0%	4.6%		<i>Average SAT Score</i>		<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>		
<i>Average Class Size</i>				Verbal		522	503		
Kindergarten 18.8	Grade 2 21.0			Math		527	499		
Grade 5 18.8	Grade 7 18.9	High School 19.9							

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